

The content of the substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing and the substitute copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form is the same, and includes no new matter.

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the Substitute Sequence Listing submitted herewith complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.

The Applicants herewith petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for reply to the notice dated June 15, 2001 for three (3) months from August 15, 2001 to November 15, 2001. Please charge the necessary fee for this extension to the credit card account identified on the credit card authorization form submitted herewith.

Further action in respect of substantive examination of the application is now earnestly awaited.

Respectfully submitted

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